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RESPONSE TO INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Applicant acknowledges receipt of the interview summary mailed on September 25, 2003, and thanks the Examiner for consideration given to this case in the interview of September 5, 2003.

Applicant reminds the Examiner that agreement was reached on certain section 112 rejections. Specifically, the Examiner agreed to withdraw the section 112 rejections of claim 1, and claims 2-4. The remaining section 112 rejections were not discussed during the interview.

Applicant agrees that no agreement was reached on *Sugino*. However, contrary to the interview summary, Applicant did not agree that claim 1 must be rewritten "in order to show clearly the invention."

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No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this response. A notice of appeal was filed on August 12, 2003, hence this application is pending. To the extent additional fees are due, or if a refund is forthcoming, please adjust our deposit account 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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